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In re Application of:

Helgeson *et al.*

Application No. 10/755,966

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For POTATO GENES FOR  
RESISTANCE TO LATE BLIGHT

Group Art Unit No. 1638

## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mali Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 28, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks / Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.